

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (canceled).
2. (currently amended): A method for treating a patient having had severe aphasia associated with cerebrovascular accident chronic stage for at least three years, which consists essentially of administering a therapeutically effective amount of the a composition to said patient, wherein said composition comprises 2-oxo-l-pyrrolidineacetamide as an active ingredient and at least one pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, and wherein of Claim 1 to said patient ~~having has~~ had severe aphasia associated with cerebrovascular accident chronic stage for at least three years.
3. (currently amended): A method for treating severe aphasia associated with cerebrovascular accident chronic stage, which consists essentially of administering the composition of Claim 1, wherein said a composition contains comprising 2-oxo-l-pyrrolidineacetamide as an active ingredient and at least one pharmaceutically acceptable carrier at a dose of from 9g/day to 40 g/day, for at least 2 months, to a patient diagnosed with severe aphasia associated with cerebrovascular accident chronic stage and with no improvement in symptoms after at least 3 years of language rehabilitation, and whereby 2-oxo-l-pyrrolidineacetamide is administered to said patient at a dose of from 9g/day to 40 g/day, for at least 2 months.
4. (canceled).